

A meeting of the **Troy Youth Council (TYC)** was held on Wednesday, June 18, 2003 at 7:00 P.M., at the Community Center Room 303. Min Chong called the meeting to order at 7:07 p.m.

## ROLL CALL

MEMBERS PRESENT: Emily Burns  
Min Chong  
Monika Govindaraj  
Catherine Herzog  
Maniesh Joshi  
Andrew Kalinowski  
Manessa Shaw  
YuJing Wang (arrived 7:21 PM)

MEMBERS ABSENT: Ryan Chandonnet  
Allister Chang  
Chris Cheng  
Juliana D'Amico  
Raymond Deng  
Eric Gregory  
Omar Hakim  
Christina Krokosky  
Matthew Michrina  
Brian Rider  
David Vennettilli

ALSO PRESENT: Laura Fitzpatrick, Assistant to the City Manager

1. **Minutes:** May minutes reviewed. Will be approved at August meeting.
2. **Attendance Report:** Noted & filed. Those present noted that low attendance may be due in part to the fact that summer recess just began. Perhaps, the June meeting will be cancelled in subsequent years.
3. **Televising Meetings:** Request to be sent to City Council on July 7<sup>th</sup>. It was decided that Kalinowski would be the spokesperson, speaking to the item at the meeting. Other members of the TYC will show support by sitting together in the audience. Fitzpatrick to send email to entire TYC. Herzog to help recruit attendees.  
Meetings should be aired at a time when youth are not in school or asleep.
4. **Summer Programs at the Library:** Visitor: Kathy Rice, Librarian  
July 21, 2003: Kickoff Festival of the Arts at the Library
5. **Troy Daze Booth:** more at next meeting; TYC representatives attending committee meetings

6. **Future Speakers:** Fitzpatrick to secure speaker(s) from the Police Department for the Fall
7. **Summer Meeting Schedule:** July: recessed; Next Meeting: August 27 at City Hall
8. **Absent Members:** Contact received from D'Amico, Krokosky and Gregory. Resolution to excuse to be made at August meeting.
9. **Youth Council Comments:**

*Topics Submitted by Gregory* – due to his absence these will be raised again at the next meeting.

- a. Goal Setting Meeting
- b. Liaison/Getting Voice Heard by Others  
Fitzpatrick Comment: Chris Cheng has expressed an interest and attending the CATV meetings as a liaison to the TYC.
- c. Size of the Youth Council

*Issue raised by Herzog* – TYC Budget and need for fundraising

Fitzpatrick to bring back budget of others boards/committees for August meeting

10. **PUBLIC COMMENT:** Fred Wong, former TYC member and student member of the Downtown Development Authority: stopped by to say hello.

Reminder Next Meeting: **August 27th** 7:00 P.M.

Location: City Hall

The meeting adjourned at 8:15 p.m.

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Min Chong, Meeting Co-Chair

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Laura Fitzpatrick, Assistant to the City Manager